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BOTTLE DRIVE HUGE SUCCESS AT SHAMROCK DRIVE-IN

Last week the Shamrock Drive-In held its last bottle drive for this year. The drive turned out to be a huge success. Thousands of bottles were processed by the refund department at this popular, self-service, package store. The greatest number were cashed in by a lady from E. Billerica. She accounted for \$17.02 which helped swell the total considerably. According to the boys who operate the refund section, not even a single bottle was broken during the drive, which seems to be quite an achievement to us.

According to Harold Foley, manager of the store, several

persons asked if it would be possible to continue the drive for another week, because they were hesitant about returning bottles during the week-end storm and ensuing, bad driving conditions. So, we are informed that the bottle drive has been extended for one more week. (thru Sat. Dec. 22).

To those who did not hear about the Shamrock's bottle drive last week, we might add that the general idea was to pick up as many old returnable tonic and beer bottles, as possible, because of the increased cost of new bottles to the beverage industry. According to the folks who operate the Drive-In, new bottles now cost two to three times the amount charged for the deposit (2c and 5c), and many of the smaller beverage companies have had to go out of business because they were not able to absorb this increased cost when their older bottles were not returned regularly to them. So the object is to keep as many of the cheaper bottles in circulation, as possible.

No one needs to be the least bit embarrassed in returning bottles to the Drive-In, whether the quantity is 5 or 500, and it makes absolutely no difference where the bottles came from just as long as they haven't been used for kerosene or gas, etc. Also, Mabel has made arrangements for all you women folk to simply toot your horn, at the Drive-In entrance, and one of the boys will hop out to your car and unload the bottles for you. We are told that there is absolutely nothing to buy during the bottle drive. Just take 'em down and pick up your cash money for other holiday necessities.

FREDERICK GILGUN SPEAKS ON JUVENILE DELINQUENCY



Juvenile Probation Officer Frederick Gilgun of Woburn Court was a speaker at the Shawshoe Improvement Association last Wednesday night. Mr. Gilgun spoke of the future problems of Juvenile Delinquency and of possible plans to overcome them. The meeting held at V.F.W. Hall was opened at 8:30 p.m. by President James Howell. Mr. Howell reported progress on the action of the Nichols Street bridge.

This bridge has been a problem of deep concern for the families living in the Shawshoe Imp. Assoc. area. After numerous meetings with State Representative Charles Wilkinson of Reading, Town Hall officials and groups of the Association's officers, Town Manager Joseph Courtney has filed two bills in Legislature:

Bill No. 1 - To instruct and authorize Public Works to reconstruct Nichols St. bridge and its approaches, as approved by the Department of Public Utilities.

Bill No. 2 - To authorize Cities and Towns to reconstruct Railroad Bridges and exceed the debt limit, and to assess the cost to the Railroad under the Betterment Act, as approved by

the Dept. of Public Utilities. Plans to discuss future civic problems were made known by President Howell, such being; Modification of the Betterment Act (streets), Sewerage and playground areas.

Mr. Alan Fenton of the Housing Authority explained the Urban Renewal Program and Mr. William Berry of the Capital Outlay Board spoke of the problems of Water Extensions.

FIREMEN TO HOLD CHRISTMAS PARTY

Children of all Wilmington firemen will be guests at a Christmas party to be held at the fire station on Friday evening, Dec. 21 at 7:00. Gifts will be given to each child by Santa himself, games will be enjoyed and refreshments will be served.

Festivities will be arranged and directed by members of the Firemen's Association.

BOONE, IOWA, NEWS-REPUBLICAN:

Boon, Iowa, News-Republican: "Now the general election is over for another four years. And after a few days of rest the politicians will be back at work campaigning for next."

SANTA GROUNDED IN WOBURN

Santa Claus who was scheduled to arrive by helicopter at the fire station on Saturday, Dec. 15 was grounded in Woburn due to the inclement weather which made flying on to Wilmington impossible. However, Santa got here just the same with a little assistance from our police dept. Upon receiving the distress call from the "copter" in Woburn police officers drove down in the cruiser and picked Santa up so that he was able to make his scheduled appearance in Wilmington.

In spite of bad weather, approximately 400 children were on hand to greet Santa. Cheers of happiness welcomed our visiting celebrity as he climbed out of the police cruiser. To children, Santa is Santa whether he

flies, rides horseback or just walks in. The thing that really mattered was that he got here and did not leave 400 youngsters waiting in vain.

BIG DOINGS IN APRIL

Don't forget, to keep watching the columns of this paper for the details on the greatest event to take place in Wilmington in many years. April is the lucky month. Exact time, date and place will be announced later.

DANCE AT VILLANOVA

Members of St. Thomas Holy Name Society will sponsor a dance to be held on Dec. 23 at Villanova Hall, beginning at 8:00 p.m. Music will be supplied by that master of waltz and rock and roll, Al Mitchell. Everyone is welcome to attend. Admission will be 75c.

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V.F.W. DUGOUT DOINGS

Our annual Christmas party this year, promises to be bigger and better. Angle Ingraham has plenty of help and asks that all members bring their kiddoes. An interesting program has been planned and the children will no doubt enjoy themselves. There are still some members who have not picked up

their 1957 dues. Please contact the post or Freddy Kiey-nen and do so.

Danny Sanville, please take note, Al Fenton finally returned my shirt.

At our monthly social last Saturday night, the boys came up with Barbecued Chicken and you absentees missed a good time. Nancy Clark won the door prize, which was a \$5. shopping

order at Meyer Weinberg's store. Incidentally, Moe and Lorraine did very well—as also did Joe Lynch.

Understand that the Billy Boys had to put the boots on Sunday night and turn to with the scuegees.

John Parr of the Wilmington Diner was voted into the post last Thursday. We welcome you aboard, John, and we'll drop in to see you.

Stopped in on Josie and Johnnie Vadalkes last Friday night and ended up decorating their Christmas tree. This is a very special tree, and all members are invited to drop in and look at it. Josie's always got the coffee on, anyway.

April of 1957 promises to be interesting. As soon as top secret plans are unclassified, this column will let you know. I can say that a seven man committee is working industriously and some information ought to be due shortly.

The response to my request for information to put into our scrap book has been overwhelming. I wish to thank all you people who answered my plea.

The wall paper table, that has been making the rounds of Wilmington, these past three years, has finally landed at Freddy Kiey-nen's. Who is next -- men?

Along with all his other work, Tom O'Conner's seems to have inherited another job -- namely -- custodian of the key.

Next meeting, Dec. 27, is to be held at the regular time. As this is the end of the quarter, I expect our trustees down to audit the books. That means -- Walter Smith, Thomas Lafontaine and Bill Bovitz. Are you ready Freddy? Please be at the dugout early, so as to be finished by 8:30.

Bill Berry got stuck on the 4 to 12 night shift, but it's only for this week.

Just Wondering

How come Higgle didn't

get down to the dugout last Saturday?

If Danny Sanville is happy, now that Alan Fenton returned the shirt?

How Moe and Lorraine enjoyed themselves Social Night?

If two Christmas parties in one night are a little too much -- Ralph?

How your postcards are holding out -- Bill Berry?

Haven't seen much of Jim Breen lately. Where you been -- chum?

May I wish you all a Merry Christmas?

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ENTERTAIN P T A

Thursday, Dec. 11, Wilmingtons High students presented a very fine Christmas program for the P.T.A. The evening began with an introduction, "The Wonder of Christmas", by Russell Gould, president of the dramatic club. The dramatic club then presented a one act play entitled "Twas the Night Before Christmas", cast as follows: John Collins, Ruth Howell, Kenneth Lyons, Lorraine Call, and Andrew White.

Following the play the High School glee club sang three Christmas carols, "Over the River and Through the Woods", "The Holly and the Ivy", and "What Child is This". For an encore they sang: Silent Night. The final feature of the program was a tableau of the Nativity scene enacted by a group of high school students. During the tableaux Joan Hunnefeld gave a Biblical reading with background music provided

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by the glee club. The tableaux was concluded with the lovely Christmas Hymn "O Holy Night" by Daniel Gouvea. The P.T.A. appreciates the time and effort that went into the preparation of this program.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR CARL A. BERGSTROM

Carl A. Bergstrom, 17 months old son of Carl I. and Sarah Bergstrom of 17 Fairmeadow Rd., passed away suddenly on Sunday, Dec. 16. Besides his parents, Carl is survived by his sister, Deborah Jane.

Funeral services were conducted from the Joseph B. McMahon Funeral Home by Rev. Father Leahy on Monday at 2:30. Interment was in the Wildwood Cemetery.

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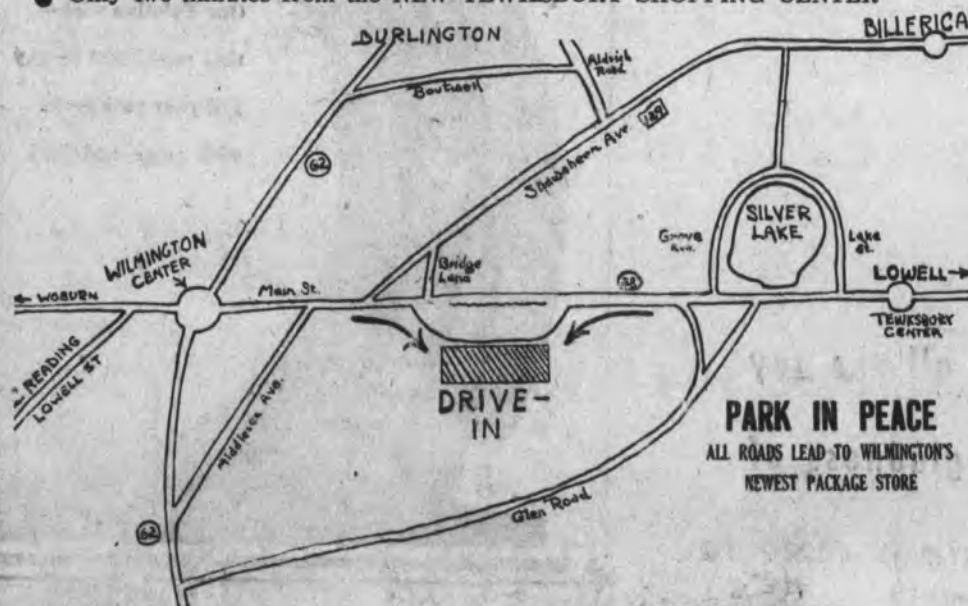
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WILMINGTON BAPTISTS PREPARE FOR CHRISTMAS PROGRAMS

Many hearts in Wilmington and the surrounding area are gladdened this Christmas because of the way God has led them into the warm fellowship at the First Baptist Church. With the Apostle Paul they say: "Thanks be unto God for His unspeakable gift,"—the Lord Jesus Christ, who made this fellowship possible by coming to this earth to bear our sins upon the Cross, that "who-

soever believeth in Him should not perish but have everlasting life."

The church has sought to give the preeminence to Christ in all of its activities, and because of this, God has wonderfully blessed the new work. Having begun solely as a faith venture, the church continues in faith. Without any financial emphasis or program, the people's hearts have been touched and they have contributed to the support of the ministry and the work of the church in a mar-

velous way. Even as plans for building are being considered, the members feel that by trusting completely in the Lord, he will provide the material means with which to build.

The pastor feels that a major factor for the church's success has been the people's vision for spreading the Gospel, not only in Wilmington, but around the world. Christ's first emphasis was in world-wide evangelization and so the Wilmington Baptists have placed their emphasis in missions. It seems impossible to many people how a new church with so many needs of its own can afford to support anything except itself, but this is where the promise of God is realized which states: "Them that honour me, I will honour", (I Samuel 2:30).

The church's first Christmas Sunday, this coming Sunday, is also Missionary

Sunday. In keeping with its missionary conviction, the church has planned for a wonderful day. It is most happy to have as special missionary guests, Rev. and Mrs. Richard Winchell of the Evangelical Alliance Mission, who have faithfully served the Lord for the eight years near Johannesburg, South Africa. Rev. Winchell is a younger brother of Robert Winchell of Lawrence Ct. who was recently baptized into the membership of the church. They have another brother William who is a missionary under the same board serving in Korea.

Rev. and Mrs. Winchell, a talented and winsome couple will share in all the services of the day. They will speak to the entire Bible School at 10 a.m., participate in the Christmas Worship Service at 11:10 a.m. and will speak at the 6:15 p.m. B.Y.F. and 7:30 Special Missionary Service.

Their message will be presented through drama, song, motion picture, and the preaching of the Word. The church has a real blessing in store for it through the ministry of Rev. and Mrs. Winchell.

Also at the morning Service will be the first Children's Dedication in the history of the church. The pastor's message for the morning will be "God's Unspeakable Gift."

Following the evening service, the church will go caroling en masse. This coming Saturday evening, Dec. 22, a Christmas social for the high

schoolers and young adults of the church will be held at the Somerville Y.M.C.A. The group will have the use of the game room, gym and swimming pool. A car caravan will leave the Grange Hall at 6:45 p.m. The cost will be 35 cents. The high schoolers and young adults are most cordially invited to bring any number of their friends along.

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Happenings That Affect the Future of Every Individual National and International Problems Inseparable from Local Welfare

The recent Fall meeting of the National Editorial Association was addressed

by Irving A. Duffy, a top executive of the Tractor and Implement Division of the Ford Motor Company. His topic was one of genuine national interest—"A Businessman's View of the Economic Outlook For Our

Mutual Customer, The Farmer.

Mr. Duffy does not subscribe to certain statements made during this political year—"... that the farmer is bankrupt, that farm auctions dot the agricultural landscape like measles, that he is over-subsidized, that he is the forgotten man, that his excessive profits have skyrocketed food prices." He recognizes that economic conditions in farming are far from ideal. But they are far from being desperate too.

He spoke of a Georgia farmer named Wesley Patrick who, at the age of 21, has operated his 130-acre farm so efficiently that he has assets totaling \$28,600, and has been voted the Star Farmer of America for 1956—an honor bestowed each year by the nearly 400,000 members of the Future Farmers of America on one young farmer. There are, as Mr. Duffy put it, "... many Wesley Patricks throughout our land today."

It should not be thought that Mr. Duffy is an unreconstructed optimist. He isn't and he can't afford to be—the farm machinery business is heavily dependent on accurate assessments of the farmer's economic outlook, on which production goals for coming seasons are based. The best available information indicates that gross farm income next year will total \$34.5 billion, representing a four per cent gain over 1956. And the importance of that four per cent may be judged from the fact that it just about equals the total value of all the farm equipment the farmer bought in 1956.

Next year, Mr. Duffy went on, the farm equipment industry looks for a substantial improvement in sales—about 17 per cent over this year, for a total of \$1.35 billion. He quoted Wheeler McMillen of Farm Journal on the future of agriculture:

"The solid values are still in the land. The demand for food will never cease. Every new born baby brings into the world an appetite and a pair of hands to earn food—but does not bring a new acre on which to raise the food. ... We are adding appetites at the rate of 3 million a year." This certainly means that in the future farmers will have to take full advantage of new techniques, new machine tools, and new seeds and fertilizers.

Mr. Duffy also had something to say on a subject of top importance—the family-type farm. Far from being a dying institution, he thinks it ... is here to stay, indeed to grow and strengthen its importance in the over-all picture. That isn't

just a hope—the facts back it up. While the total number of farms in the United States has dropped steadily since 1935, the proportion of family farms to the total has held steady. In a late year they produced roughly two-thirds of all agricultural output, about the same share as in 1940. Many family farms now represent a capital investment of \$50,000 or more. To quote him again, "This growth in size and productivity of our family farms is one of the most significant factors in our nation's rising standard of living."

THE WILL TO VENTURE

One group of American citizens knows from harsh experience what double taxation is. These are the people who invest in securities. First, they pay the regular rates of income tax on their salaries and other income—and this tax, of course, comes out first, and only what money is left is available for living costs and savings. Secondly, if they sell securities and make a profit they must pay another tax, called the capital gain.

This is not, by any means, a problem of concern only to the wealthy. In the last year for which such statistics are available, taxpayers with adjusted gross incomes of less than \$10,000 accounted for more than 78 per cent of all individual income tax returns reporting net gains from the sale of capital assets, such as stocks. And in the same year more than one million individuals in the under-\$5,000 bracket—nearly 52 per cent of all showing such gains—reported net capital gains.

The capital gains tax has been aptly characterized as "... the most damaging of all federal taxes to the investor"—for the reason that "it shackles the will to venture." And that shackling is a direct danger to everyone, investor and non-investor alike—for it is venture that creates new enterprise, new opportunities, more jobs, and better living standards for all.

Most of the nations—including Canada, Great Britain, Australia, France, and others—do not tax capital gains on securities at all. They realize that double taxation is both unfair and destructive. There is growing sentiment in this country to change the tax laws and give well-deserved relief to the investors who make possible the expanding American economy.

Clarksdale, Miss., Press Register: "President Eisenhower has said at least twice in his news conferences that he could see no rea-

son why information on the travels of senators and congressmen at government expense should not be made public. ... This is the first break in the wall of secrecy that surrounds such expenditures in many government departments and agencies, not to mention Congress itself."



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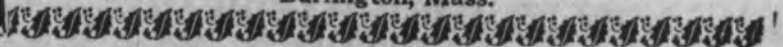
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ATOMIC POWERED PLANT PROPOSED

New England Electric directors have authorized construction of an atomic powered, electric generating plant with a capacity of 200,000 kilowatts or more, President Irwin L. Moore announced.

The New England Electric president pointed out that this second atomic plant for New England - following close on the heels of the Yankee Atomic Electric's 134,000 kilowatt plant - will be of prime importance in the development of this new source of energy.

"Since the cost of conventional fuel in this area are among the highest in the nation, due largely to the cost of transportation, we expect nuclear fuel will be competitive in New England much sooner than in areas where conventional fuels are cheaper," Moore said.

Studies already are underway to determine the most appropriate reactor as well as the exact size and location of the new plant from the standpoint of integrating its output with the hydro and steam resources of New England Electric System.

Moore said it is hoped that this second plant can be put into service by 1963 or 1964. Yankee Atomic Electric's Rowe plant is expected to be in operation in 1960.

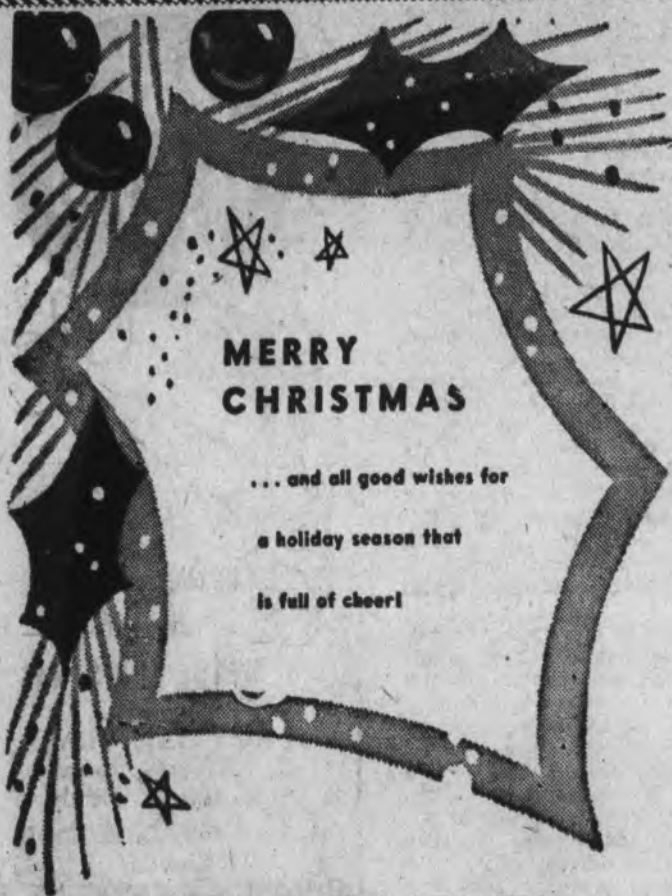
He said the new atomic facility should be more economical and dependable than the pioneering Yankee plant since New England Electric's engineers will have the benefit of the experience gained in connection with the building and operation of the Rowe plant to aid them in the design of the new one. They will also be in a position to incorporate in the new plant advances in the art which will take place in the meanwhile.

Yankee Atomic Electric Company, of which New England Electric is one of the founders and large owners, was one of the first organizations in the country to undertake the construction of an atomic energy power plant under private ownership. Yankee's experience in this initial project has demonstrated that the research and development work, and the design and engineering that are required before a full scale atomic energy plant can become a reality, consume even more time than the three to four years required to build a conventional steam electric plant.

Moore said that as a result of our experience with the Yankee project "we are convinced we should start out program immediately for this second plant in order that New England may maintain its leadership in this important new field."

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FRANCIS NUTT ON AIRCRAFT CARRIER
CARIBBEAN SEA (FHT-NC)—Francis R. Nutt, seaman apprentice, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Nutt, Jr., of 153 Main st., Wilmington, is serving aboard the support aircraft carrier USS Valley Forge.

At present the Valley Forge is on a refresher training cruise in the Caribbean Sea.

The ship was scheduled to arrive at Norfolk, Va., Dec. 11.

16 MORE MEN NOW IN THE ARMY

Through Local Board No. 99, Billerica, the following men have recently entered the U.S. Army:

Robert A. Batcheller, Tewksbury; Thomas J. Bebbington, Tewksbury; Arnold E. Bishop, Jr. Billerica; Joseph M. Colarassi, Wilmington, Volunteer, Jamaica, N.Y.; Volunteer, Albert E. Ethier, Wilmington; Donald P. Fleming, Wilmington; Volunteer, Ernest F. Jones, Burlington; Michel J. Lipari, North Reading; Volunteer, Rich-

ard L. Myles, Billerica; Roland H. Nickerson, Jr. Billerica; William M. Park, Wilmington; Volunteer, Paul E. Surrlette, Wilmington; William J. Sweeney, Jr. Burlington; Joseph J. Tavaras, Tewksbury; Charles F. Williams, Jr. Wilmington.

WELCOME WAGON

Marion J. Woller, the very efficient Welcome Wagon Hostess for Wilmington, has sent in another list of happy and very much welcome newcomers.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. Covington of 87 Nichols St., with one child.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Irwin of 15 Clark St., have three children.

Mr. and Mrs. Pasquale Casaldo, 306 Main St., with five children.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dane of Washington Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dargan also of Washington Ave., have three children.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph DiSalvo, 604 Woburn St., have three children.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson of 16 Dewey Ave.

ARTHUR P. POLLARD COMPLETES 50 YEARS SERVICE

Arthur P. Pollard of Dublin Ave., Wilmington, has attained fifty years of service with the Boston and Maine Railroad and has just received his 50-year Gold Service Pass from President Patrick B. McGinnis.

Pollard is a traveling storekeeper on the road and entered service Nov. 5, 1906. In a letter of congratulations which accompanied the Pass, President McGinnis said:

"I am happy to learn that you recently observed the Golden Anniversary of your service with the Boston and

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TO Melvin A. White, of Wilmington in the County of Middlesex, and Margery R. White, of North Reading in said County, and to all whom it may concern:

Reading Co-operative Bank a banking corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the said Commonwealth and having its principal place of business in Reading in said County of Middlesex, claiming to be the holder of a mortgage covering premises in said Wilmington, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, on Woburn Street, being shown as Lot 27 on a plan entitled "Plan of Lots surveyed for Melvin A. White, Wilmington, Mass.," dated June 22, 1949, Frederick A. Ewell, Surveyor, and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Plan Book 76, Plan 12A, given by Melvin A. White and Margery R. White, husband and wife, as tenants by the entirety, dated July 21, 1949, and recorded with said Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 1120, Page 70, has filed with said Court a bill in equity for authority to foreclose said mortgage in the manner following: by entry and possession and exercise of power of sale.

If you are entitled to the benefits of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended, and you object to such foreclosure, you or your attorney should file a written appearance and answer in the office of the Clerk of said Court at Cambridge on or before the fourteenth day of January, A. D. 1957, or you may be forever barred from claiming that such foreclosure is invalid under said act.

WITNESS, Paul C. Reardon, Esquire, Chief Justice of said Court, this eleventh day of December, A. D. 1956.

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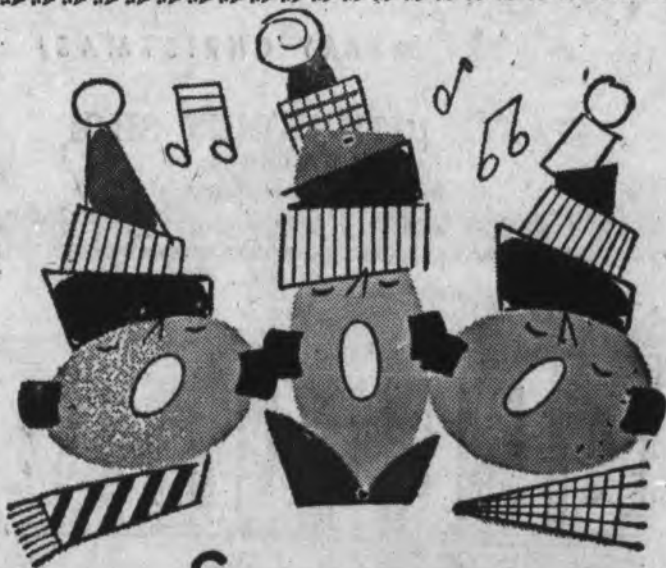
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Glued laminated timbers

are used in practically every type of construction today. Two of the largest timbers ever laminated were produced recently for use as bridge girders in Manitoba, Canada. Each timber, weighing more than 11 tons, was about one foot thick, six feet deep and 103 feet long.

Architects advise house hunting couples with pre-

teenage children to seek out homes which feature wood paneled walls in living and dining areas. Such walls offer the best protection against wear and tear from active youngsters, the architects point out. Wood also is considered an ideal material for the quick and economical remodeling of older homes.

Recent excavations in Egypt uncovered in the tomb of one of the first Pharaohs a wooden floor 5,000 years old. The floor was reported to be in excellent condition, as were several wooden beams used to support the roof of the crypt.

Home owners planning to erect a fence around their property may be interested in a new publication, How to Build Wood Fences, available from the National Lumber Manufacturers Association, Washington 6, D.C., for 25 cents a copy (cash, check or money order).

This 14-page illustrated booklet contains detailed instructions on how to build seven basic types of wood fencing. Also illustrated are 19 variations of these basic styles, which the home owner may adapt to his particular requirements.

SLIDE, MILK, SLIDE

Development of an ideal asphalt paving that won't flow on hot days or crack under heavy trucks on cold days calls for careful study of asphalt reactions to temperature changes. With a recently developed mechanism called a "sliding plate microviscometer," asphalt's viscosity over wide temperature ranges can be measured rapidly. The "mike" combines the principle of applying pressure to samples between two flat plates with the accuracy of an electronic circuit for measuring movement.

Job for a Dutch Uncle

The little Dutch boy who had to stop a leak in the dike with his finger probably would have been saved the trouble if the dike had been covered with a waterproof material just developed. It consists of a layer of woven oil-based nylon laminated between two layers of oil-derived vinyl film. It may replace the woven willow branches used by the Dutch for five centuries to keep the sand of the dikes from eroding. This is just one instance of how versatile oil products find special uses all over the world.

High Minded Drillers

One of the highest gas wells in the nation is staked more than 10,000 feet up on the Wasatch Plateau in east-central Utah. Operating on such a high plane represents a special challenge to the gas operators' ingenuity: for instance, wellheads must be buried underground to protect them from crumbling rock and debris. Solving unusual problems is daily routine to the people of the petroleum industry, as they compete with each other for new and better ways of serving the American public.

Inauguration stands in the vicinity of the White House will be built of wood again in 1957. District of Columbia officials have turned down proposals that steel stands be erected in the White House area. The rea-

son: they would cost too much. Much of the cost of the wooden stands will be recovered by resale of the lumber used. Wooden bleachers also will be located along the inaugural parade route.

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COMFORTABLE IN MUFTI

"Atomic energy, which went to war over Hiroshima in 1945 and was mustered out by a Congressional act in 1954, was begging last week to look comfortably in mufti." Thus began a long article in November 12 issue of Newsweek, which detailed what utility companies and other groups are doing to apply the atom to the arts of peace.

There are differences of opinion as to just how this atomic program should be conducted. But most people who read the Newsweek survey will tend to agree with a distinguished utility company engineer who says that

the development... is moving, I think, as fast as the speed controls of technology and safety will allow." There are great questions—scientific and economic—connected with peacetime use of this new form of energy, and American enterprise is progressing in an orderly way to provide the answers.

We have heard much of Russian and British efforts to produce electricity from the atom on a "crash" program basis. Newsweek mentions two considerations here which are emphasized by U.S. experts. One is that these countries are sorely short of conventional fuels, such as coal and oil, where-

as we have an abundance. The other is that "Britain and Russia each has a single primitive power reactor; the U.S., on the other hand, is building nine different kinds, most of them more advanced, with vastly greater promise for the future." Private enterprise and government agencies are co-operating in this work.

Yes—atomic energy does look comfortable in U.S. mufti.

SHIPPING YOUR HOLIDAY PACKAGES

You want your holiday packages to reach their destinations expeditiously and in good order. You can help assure that by following some shipping hints suggested by the Railway Express Agency, out of its wealth of experience.

Use a sturdy fibreboard or corrugated container large enough to provide a 2-inch clearance all around the gift package. Old newspapers, torn vertically into 2-inch strips, then fluffed and crinkled, make the best cushioning material. Stuff 2 inches of this material all around the gift—firmly, but not too tightly.

Close the container securely, with twine or tape or both. Gummed tape is preferable for shipments going by express. It should be at least 2 inches in width, and should not be soaked but moistened. If twine is used, be sure it is strong, loop it all around the length and girth of the package twice to form a double strand, then knot it securely where the strands meet.

Take some pains with your marking. "From" and "To" addresses should be hand-printed on the top of the

package and repeated on one side. Black crayon or heavy pencil are best, as ordinary ink may smudge. Gummed labels, preferably typewritten, are also suggested. It's a good idea to place an extra address label inside the package, to provide identification if outside marks become illegible. Beware of sloppy printing and abbreviations. States should be identified fully. For example, there are 28 towns named Madison in as many states.

In holiday shipping, a little care really pays off.

AERIAL BOOBY TRAP

A mid-air collision of two airliners over the Grand Canyon with a loss of some 120 lives focused public attention on the growing air traffic problem, which is being studied by the government and other agencies. As is so often the case, tragic disaster jumped the gun on preventive measures.

A dangerous situation has been developing in another area of aviation for some years. The mushrooming growth of television towers has worried many who fly in the course of business or pleasure. Most of these towers reach to heights that constitute a menace to air navigation and most of them are inadequately marked. They are death-dealing steel needles, extending a thousand feet or more into the sky and supported by invisible guy wires.

Tens of thousands of aircraft, military, commercial and private, must now not only feel their way through man-made smog but must also be wary of these new, man-made diabolical contrivances that can spell death as speedily as a dose of cyanide. A great tragedy is that the hazard could be eliminated, if officials and private citizens concerned would co-operate to see that every tower is properly located and properly marked and illuminated. If this is not done voluntarily, it should be forced by adequate legislation, at once.

On November 8, at North Bergen, New Jersey, a twin-engine plane struck an 810-foot television tower and exploded into an apartment house, killing at least five persons. The news account of the tragedy concluded with the statement: "Last December town officials lost a suit demanding removal of the tower as a 'menace and a public hazard.' Whatever the legalities, it is clear that the danger is real and growing."

THE INDUSTRY NOBODY REALLY KNOWS

The Gulf Oil Corporation has performed a public service by issuing a booklet entitled "The Industry Nobody Really Knows." Written by Craig Thompson, a nationally-known free lance writer, its purpose is to give consumers a better understanding of just how the oil industry gets its job

done—and to banish the fallacy that a big oil company is "a sort of gigantic octopus feeding on the little fellows."

As Mr. Thompson says, "... In this extraordinary enterprise, no company can ever be big enough to become a dictator and no man with gumption too poor to find a place in it." The industry has long been in a process of healthy disintegration, and that has created great opportunities for small and middle-sized business men. The big company is often the small company's best customer. Where, in 1904, one company sold 88

per cent of the oil products bought by American consumers, today there is not a single company that can claim as much as 10 per cent of the total market.

We hear "men who have amassed vast fortunes in oil. But, for each one of these, there are hundreds of prospectors who never find a drop of the precious stuff. To quote Mr. Thompson again, "Of the hundreds of thousands of men who have gone questing for oil since the turn of the century, fewer than one in a thousand have wound up with anything like a million dollars."

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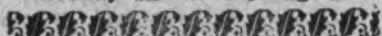


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dustrial trend for New England" which will see many industries settling this area for their nuclear activities.

Irwin L. Moore, president of New England Electric and one of the founders of the Yankee Atomic Electric Company, told the gathering at Sylvania's atomic energy conference that this region has much to offer industries interested in entering the nuclear field.

"All the ingredients are here in New England," Moore pointed out, "where we have the finest in research and education coupled with financial and technical competence. We also are blessed with a skilled and responsive labor force, plentiful supplies of electric power and water, a network of modern highways and excellent rail, air and coastal facilities. Of great importance, too, is the fact that we have an atomic electric generating plant in the making."

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Moore explained that when Yankee Atomic was set up it was expected that one of the stimulating by-products of this pioneer operation would be the attraction of a working atomic electric plant would have for allied industries. The fabrication of nuclear fuel, the processing of the plant's

products and the manufacture of parts, equipment and tools for reactors are but a few of the businesses that are bound to grow in the wake of reactor development.

He said it is entirely possible that this new Sylvania plant, located right here in New England, will be in position to supply Yankee Atomic with the enriched uranium pellets needed to fuel the Yankee installation. Some seven million of these pellets, each the size of a pencil eraser, will be required in the \$35 million Yankee plant in western Massachusetts when it is completed in 1960.

Upon completion atomic energy center is to become the headquarters of the Sylvania-Nuclear Corporation following formation of the new company by Sylvania and the Corning Glass Works.

In emphasizing the importance of the 600 new jobs which will open up at the new center in the next few years, Moore stressed the point that they are being created not to duplicate work being done elsewhere, but to build new opportunities in development and manufacturing employment.

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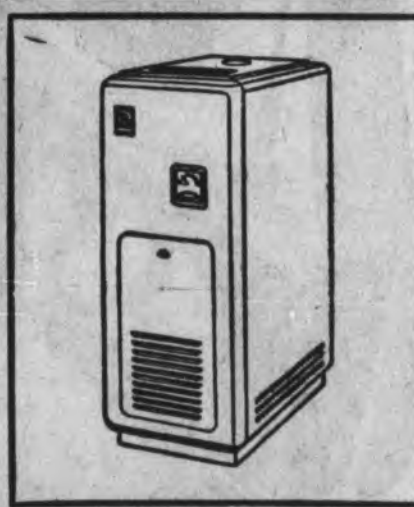
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The program thus described is known as partnership. While the basic idea is by no means new-partnership between government and private enterprise in natural resource development was known half a cen-

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Sunday:
7:00, 8:00, 9:00, 10:00, 11:00
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7:00 and 7:30 a.m.
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and 7:45 p.m.
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6:00, 7:00 and 7:30 a.m.
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day and Holy Days, 7:30 p.m.
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day at 2:00 p.m. No appoint-
ment necessary.

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Sunday:
St. Dorothy's Hall 8:45 and
10:45
St. Mary's: 7:00, 8:30
10:00 and 11:15.
Weekdays:
7:00 a.m. Saturdays 8:00
a.m. all at St. Mary's
First Friday:
7:00 a.m. at St. Mary's
Holy Days:
St. Dorothy's Hall: 7:00
and 8:00
St. Mary's: 5:45, 7:00 and
9:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Confessions:
St. Dorothy's Hall: 3:30
St. Mary's: 4:15 and 7:30
Evenings before First Fri-
day and Holy Days: 7:30 a.
St. Mary's
Baptisms:
Sundays at 2 p.m. at the
Rectory.

CHURCH OF THE GOOD
SHEPHERD, READING
Sunday Schedule
8:00 a.m. Holy Commu-
nion.
9:00 a.m. Family Service
of Morning Prayer, Church
School, Nursery through
Adult.

10:00 a.m. Family Ser-
vice of Morning Prayer,
Church School, Nursery
through grade six.
11:00 a.m. Morning Prayer
and Sermon. (Holy Com-
munion, first Sunday, all
services)
Every Sunday at 6:00
p.m. the Young People's
Fellowship will meet and at
8:00 p.m. Confirmation Cl-
asses will be held for adults.
Every Monday at 3:30
p.m. Confirmation Classes
for young people will be
conducted.

Every third Monday at
8:00 p.m. The Commission
on Christian Social Respon-
sibility will meet.

On the first Tuesday at
8:00 p.m. there will be a
vestry meeting.

On the third Tuesday the
Welcome Wagon New Com-
er's Club will meet.

On the second and fourth
Wednesdays, the Golden Age
Club will meet.

Every Thursday at 6:30
p.m. the boys choir will
hold rehearsal and at 8:00
p.m. the senior choir will
rehearse.

On the third Thursday at
8:00 p.m. the Commission
on Christian Fellowship will
meet.

Every Friday at 6:30 p.m.
the Girls Choir will re-
hearse.

On the First Friday at
8:00 p.m. Comm. on Chris-
On the second and fourth
Fridays, the Junior High
Young Churchmen will meet.

On the fourth Friday, at
1:30 p.m. the Altar Guild
will conduct a meeting.

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Services at Grange Hall,
Wildwood St.
Pastor: Elliot Castillo of
Mt. Vernon St., Reading
Sunday:
Sunday Services: 10:00
a.m. Church School for all
ages.
11:00 a.m. Morning Wor-
ship.
6:15 p.m. Junior and Sen-
ior High B.Y.F.
7:30 p.m. Evangelistic serv-
ice.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH SCHEDULE

Sunday: 9:30 a.m. First
Service, Kinderkirk and
Church School. 11:00 a.m.
Second Service, Kinderkirk
and Church School. 5:00 p.m.
Quaintance Club. 7:00 p.m.
Fireside Fellowship.

Monday: Center Branch
Associates, first Monday at
8 p.m. East Branch, 2nd
Monday at 8:00 p.m. Men's
Club, 4th Monday at 8:00
p.m.

Tuesday: Girl Scouts,
weekly at 3 p.m.

Tuesday: Finance Commit-
tee, 1st Tuesday at 8 p.m.
West Branch, 4th Tuesday at
1:30 p.m.

Wednesday: Boy Scouts,
weekly at 7 p.m.

Wednesday: L. B. S. 1st
Wednesday at 10:30 a.m.
Center Branch, 3rd Wednes-
day at 1 p.m. South Branch
4th Wednesday at 12:30 p.m.
Choir rehearsal, weekly at
8 p.m.

Thursday: Church Cabinet
1st Thursday at 8 p.m. North
Branch, 2nd Thursday at
12:00 noon. Men's Club, 2nd
Thursday at 8 p.m.

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through High School.

5:00 p.m. Older Youth
Forum.

7:00 p.m. Senior Youth
Fellowship.

8:00 p.m. Neighborhood
meetings.

Monday:
7:00 p.m. Junior High
School Fellowship.

8:00 p.m. First Monday,
Official Board Meeting.

Tuesday,
3:30 p.m. Brownies.
8:30 p.m. Alcoholic, Ano-
nymous Meeting.

Wednesday:
First Wednesday, 12 noon,
Woman's Society of Chris-
tian Service.

Thursday:
7:00 p.m. Boy's Basketball
at Wildwood School.

8:00 p.m. Senior Choir Re-
hearsal.

Friday:
Last Friday, Cub Scouts
in Wildwood School.

Second Friday every other
month, Council of Churches
Meeting.

Saturday:
First and Third Satur-
days, 8 p.m. Adult Fellow-
ship meeting.

tury ago-it has been great-
ly advanced by the Eisen-
hower Administration and
has been a cornerstone of
general natural resource
policy. And it is good to see
a constructive word said for
it by this big federal pow-
er agency. For partnership
has become the principal
target of virulent attack by
those who want the federal
government to undertake all
hydroelectric developments
of consequence, to the exclu-
sion both of local govern-
ment, such as the municipa-
lities, and of regulated, tax-

paying independent utility
companies.

What does partnership in-
volve? The President him-
self made that clear almost
two years ago in these
words: "At the foundation of
our economic growth are
the raw materials and ener-
gy produced from our mine-
rals and fuels, lands and
forests, and water resources.
With respect to them, I be-
lieve that the nation must
adhere to three fundamental
policies: First, to develop,
widely use, and to conserve
basic resources from gene-

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ration to generation; se-
cond, to follow the historic
pattern of developing these
resources primarily by pri-
vate citizens under fair pro-
visions of law, including re-
straints for proper conserva-
tion; and third, to treat re-
source development as a
partnership undertaking - a
partnership in which the
participation of private citi-
zens and state and local
government is as necessary
as is federal participation."

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bove water level is closed by
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MIDDLESEX COUNTY NATIONAL BANK COMPLETE MALDEN RENOVATIONS

An Open House to celebrate the completion of extensive renovations to the Malden Office of the Middlesex County National Bank, located on the corner of Salem and Ferry Sts. was held on Saturday, Dec. 15, from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., it has been announced by Oliver T. Bergstrom, President of the bank.

Outstanding among the new features presented to

the public was a Walk-up and Drive-up tellers' window located in an attractive bay, trimmed in brick facing on Ferry St. just around the corner from Salem St. The stainless steel tellers' counter has motor operated drawers, and at its front a ten foot wide plate glass window, behind which two tellers at one time can work. Limited parking at the curb will permit patrons to leave an automobile, and transact their business at the window, all within the space of a few minutes. The window

will be open daily from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

The public space in the lobby will be double the area heretofore available, as the bank floor has been extended to include the entire front part of the former Elliot's Store and will now occupy almost the entire first floor of the building. Additional tellers wickets have been provided and improved lighting, new draperies and furniture have also been added.

In commenting on the project Mr. Bergstrom stated: "We are proud to present an enlarged and modernized banking facility to the many good customers of our Malden office. We believe that they will like the larger, lighter banking rooms and it is our belief, based on experiences at our offices in Everett, Medford, Stoneham and Maynard that our new Walk-up and Drive-up window here in Malden will be a great convenience not only to those people who want to complete a quick transaction, but also to those customers who are better served by later banking hours. The new window will actually extend the banking day for the public to 5:00 p.m."

The Malden office of the Middlesex County National Bank is under the supervision of Martin A. Wold, Assistant Vice President, who is well known in Malden banking circles.

The Middlesex County National Bank is the largest National bank in the county with resources in excess of \$95,000,000 and maintains fifteen offices in the communities of Everett, Cambridge, Stoneham, Lowell, Billerica, Maynard, Reading, Medford, Somerville and Wilmington as well as Malden.

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**ST. DOROTHY'S
WHIST NEWS**

Due to the storm which occurred last Friday evening, the whist party for St. Dorothy's Parish was postponed and Mrs. William Tattersall, Chairman of the party will have the whist on Friday evening, Dec. 28 at the Hall. All are welcome to attend and many fine prizes have been assembled for prizes of both the whist and penny sale. Refreshments will be served.

The regular Friday night whist party in aid of St. Dorothy's Parish, will be held at 8:30, Dec. 21 with Mrs. John Elliott as Chairman assisted by her committee. There will be many fine prizes both for the whist winners and the penny sale and it is hoped that a large number will attend. Refreshments will be served.

LINDA IS SIX

Approximately 30 guests attended a gala party on Dec. 12 at the home of Linda Smith on Laurel Ave. The occasion for the celebration was Linda's sixth birthday. Many lovely gifts were presented to the guest of honor, including clothing, toys and jewelry. Highlight of the evening arrived with the cutting of a huge and beautifully decorated birthday cake.

Linda, a first grade student at the Wildwood School is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith.

**WHERE THE
EXPERTS AGREE**

"A phenomenon of these Mid-20th Century years in the publication of a series of searching studies on future energy needs of the United States and the world," reports the National Coal Association. "A startling char-

acteristic common to all of these forecasts is the unanimity on the higher annual production of coal that will be required to meet future total energy needs of the United States in the next quarter century."

The forecasting groups include the President's Materials Policy Commission, the Panel on the Impact of the Peaceful Uses of Atomic Energy, and the U. S. Bureau of Mines. The gist of their findings is that by 1975 annual output will be higher than in any year the coal industry has so far known, and will continue to rise.

This may seem odd to those who have been led to believe that atomic energy will make all other sources of energy obsolete. That belief is not held by the scientists and other experts involved. They feel that the atom will be just another important energy source—and that every source, coal included, will have to be used to the fullest extent in a nation and a world whose energy hunger will be all but insatiable.

**"POLITICAL SUBSIDY OIL"
IS A POOR LUBRICANT**

"Livestock is agriculture's balance wheel," writes President Charles B. Schuman of the American Farm Bureau Federation. He explains why. We feed about 70 per cent of our total agricultural production to livestock. Changes in the numbers of livestock being fed help make needed adjustments in the total production. And consumers adjust their eating habits to changes in the supply and price of livestock much more rapidly than in the case of similar changes in other farm products.

But, Mr. Schuman continues, today the smoother operation of this traditional balance wheel has been seriously disrupted—because "livestock moves in a free market while grain crops are sold in a government controlled market." Grain prices are fixed with too little regard for

livestock requirements or other needs—and "the result is that surpluses accumulate in government warehouses and acreage controls become necessary."

The solution, Mr. Schuman clearly believes, is to permit the balance wheel to function naturally. To quote him again, "As long as prices are permitted to perform their essential function of constant change, and so long as farmers are free to change their production plans, the livestock balance wheel moves easily and the farm economy ticks along at a satisfactory pace. No amount of 'political subsidy oil' will correct the present trouble of a choked down agricultural machine—we need a free turning balance wheel."

We need, in other words, more real free enterprise in agriculture.

A PART OF CHRISTMAS

Holly branches are part of the Christmas scene. Even before there was a Christmas the ancient Romans found that the shiny, prickly green leaves and red berries of the holly tree were ideal as fes-

tive adornment for the halls where they celebrated their feasts of Saturnalia.

Holly came to be considered sacred by many because its beauty was greatest at a time when most other trees were barren. Evil spirits and witches hold powerful sway in the legends and folklore of all peoples and they account for holly's present position as a doorway decoration. It was placed over entryways and windows in the belief that its thorns would ward off these unwanted visitors. Regardless of legendary spirits, one thing is sure, Christmas holly is here to stay as an expression of the friendliness, good will and joy of the season.

SAFETY TIP: During this time of year, when there are more hours of darkness, pedestrian accidents increase, warns the AAA. Be aware of shoppers loaded with bundles; be extra careful of walkers in dark clothing; drive cautiously through unlighted residential sections. It's up to YOU as a driver to avert pedestrian accidents.

**NOTICE OF SALE
COMMONWEALTH OF
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MIDDLESEX, SS.

Lowell, October 11, 1956

By virtue of an execution issued from the Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex, within our County of Middlesex, on the fifteenth day of September, A.D. 1956, in the suit of Owen J. Doherty versus Alfonso Dellisola a/k/a Alphonso L. Dellisola, I have this day seized and taken and shall sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder on Saturday, January 19, 1957, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at my office, Room 218, 24 Merrimack Street, in said Lowell, all the right, title and interest which the said Alfonso Dellisola, also known as Alphonso L. Dellisola had not exempt by law from attachment or levy on execution on the twenty-seventh day of March, A.D. 1956, at 9:00 o'clock A.M. that being the time when the same was attached on the original writ, in and to the following real estate to wit:

The land with the buildings thereon situated in Wilmington, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, and being Lots 162-163 and 164 on a plan entitled "Plan of Silver Lake Addition, Silver Lake, Wilmington, Mass., Property of Suburban Land Co. Sept. 1920, Scale 100' 1" recorded Middlesex Northern District Deeds, Plan Book 42 Plan 73 bounded and described as follows:

SOUTHWESTERLY by Brand Avenue, as shown on said plan 75 feet;

NORTHWESTERLY by lot 165 as shown on said plan, 100 feet;

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December 13, 1956

Team Standings			
	W	L	PF
Rollers	23	14	16478
B. Baums	34	13	16230
Co-eds	29	23	16291
Comets	29	23	16177
E. Beavers	24	28	15987
S. Girls	24	28	15853
Atomettes	18	34	15739
S. L. Rex	13	39	15657

Team Single	
Atoms	473
Team Triple	
Rollers	1328
Individual Single	
J. Buckley	
Individual Triple	
E. Traill	321

Top Ten Bowlers	
M. Imbimbo	92.4
E. Traill	89.7
J. Waugh	88.22
G. Sawyer	88.19
B. Blanchette	88.5
J. Buckley	88.4
P. Page	87.31
M. McKie	87.26
P. Baker	87.8
M. Dias	86.35
Matches, Dec. 20, 1956:	
7 P.M.	
Rollers vs Eager Beavers	

S. L. Rex vs Comets
9 P.M.
S. Girls vs Co-eds
B. Baums vs Atomettes

ANNOUNCEMENT OF ELM FARM WINNERS

The following is a list of the winners of the drawing at the Elm Farm store on Saturday, Dec. 8.

First Prize, Fred Arsenault, 4 Dell Drive, Wilmington.

\$5.00 Food Certificates: Norma Bergstrom, 159 Shaw-sheen Ave.; Thomas Croke, 194 Glen Rd.; and V. Laugh-ton, 31 Adams St.

Certificate for 2 lb Steaks: Mrs. John Hathaway, 31 High St., No. Wilmington; James Kunigenas, MacDonald Rd., No. Wilmington; Alice Lee, 1 Powder House Circle; Mary Secko, 178 Main St.; and Sean Smith, 10 West St.

ST. THOMAS' HOLY NAME BOWLING LEAGUE

Standings			
	W	L	PF
Rockets	30	14	14754
Eagles	26	18	14707
Bees	22	22	14531
Atoms	22	22	14422
Jets	17	27	14124
Hawks	15	29	14438

High Individual Single	
Stanley Riley	127
High Individual Triple	
George Foley	323
High Team Single	
Rockets	511
High Team Triple	
Rockets	1391

Top Ten:	
Stanley Riley	100.4
Al MacMullin	97.4
Al Blanchette	97.1
Joe Woods	95.0
Dick Woods	95.0
Phil Lager	95.0
Joe Meehan	94.7
Bill Coulter	93.9
George Foley	93.6
Barney McMahon	92.9

HOLY NAME NEWS

The regular monthly meeting of St. Dorothy's Holy Name Society was held on Thursday, Dec. 13. The meeting was opened in prayer by the president Gerald O'Brien. The reports of Officers were made and excepted Mr. O'Brien made known the winner of the portable TV set that had been drawn at the Ham and bean supper, Mr. F.H. Driscoll, of South Boston.

The president then introduced Daniel O'Brien and Robert Lucier, of the Tel. Co., in Lowell, who put on a very impressive demonstration on "Television Skyways." They went on to show just how a picture is brought into the home T.V. set, after the demonstration

a question and answer period was held to the satisfaction of all in attendance.

To close the meeting the president again thanked all the men who came to the meeting, and also those that attended the 7:00 a.m. Mass, on Sunday. There are still many men that do not attend the meetings or the Mass with the society, and it is hoped that they will do so next month.

GRANGE NEWS

The Wilmington Grange held its annual Christmas party for the children last Sunday afternoon, at grange

hall. The party was in charge of Lecture Alida Brabant, and assistant lecture Mary Howard. All children were greeted by Santa Claus (Jeff Southmayd), who talked and played with the kiddies, then gathered around the piano played by Frank Holmes and sang carols. After the singing the children were given gifts of toys and candy, and were served refreshments by the ladies. The lecture wishes to thank all the mothers that helped to make the party a success.

On Wednesday, night Dec. 19 the regular meeting of

the grange will be held at the hall with Master Thomas McQuaid presiding. The master has promised a short meeting to begin promptly at 8:00 p.m. The Lecture has planned a Christmas party for the adults, and asks that all bring a 25 cent exchange gift.

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There will be a single worship service at 11 a.m. instead of two a service of baptism will be included, the choir will sing special Christmas music. The minister's sermon topic will be "The Dayspring From On High".

The annual Christmas candlelighting service will be held in the sanctuary at 5 p.m. After the introductory portion, the church is

darkened and Christmas tableaux begin to appear, with the aid of elaborate electrical devices. The parts of Mary and Joseph will be taken by Nancy Anderson and Malcom Jones. The shepherds will be Robert Sweet, Parker Prindle and Robert Hastings. Wise Men, John Kerr, John Tobey and Kenneth Lyons. The minister will be the reader. The Junior and senior choirs furnish the background music for this service. After a brief re-lighting of the church the darkness returns, and the candles held by the people of the congregation are lighted from the church Christmas Candle. The worshippers then leave the

church, seeking to carry the lighted candles to their homes.

The young people of the church will meet at the parsonage on Monday, at 7 p.m., to sing carols to the sick and shut-ins of the parish, returning to the parsonage for their Christmas party.

The Christmas Eve service will be held in the sanctuary on Monday, at 11:30 p.m., closing at midnight with the ushering in of Christmas Day. To this service the people of the Methodist Church have been especially invited, and Congregational people in turn are invited to attend the New Year's Eve service at the Methodist church.

published in San Francisco, said of this occurrence is of much greater importance: "In the United States any loyal citizen who devotes himself to public service has an equal chance with other Americans to attain public office." It added that the new Congress-

man is making a trip to India" . . . to inform the people of Asia that in America democracy is a living, active thing, and not just a theoretical device to serve propaganda purposes."

SAFETY TIP: Get ready NOW for the Winter months

ahead, advises the AAA. A car in good condition is more likely to start on cold mornings and give you less trouble than one that has not been checked over. Have your car checked NOW—brakes, tires, lights, ignition, battery, anti-freeze—everything that is likely to give trouble in cold weather.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss.

Probate Court

To all persons interested in the estate of John L. Kristiansen late of Wilmington in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by Bergliot S. Kristiansen of Wilmington in said County, praying that she be appointed executrix thereof, without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eleventh day of January 1957, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John C. Leggat, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this third day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-six.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS,

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PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Ida B. Gray late of Wilmington in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that Ellsworth M. Towse of Woburn in said County, be appointed administrator of said estate, without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Cambridge before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the second day of January 1957, the return day of this citation.

Witness, John C. Leggat, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this third day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-six.

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FAIRNESS TO THE SELF-EMPLOYED

"The Jenkins-Keogh proposal is the essence of free enterprise and self-reliance," said the president of the American Bar Association. This strongly-backed, proposed federal law would allow a self-employed person to deduct from his gross income each year a limited amount of earned income contributed by him to a restricted retirement fund, or paid in as premiums to purchase a restricted retirement annuity contract. Not more than \$5,000 a year or \$100,000 in a lifetime could be thus deducted.

The reason for the measure is that present-day taxes and living costs make it difficult and, in some cases, virtually impossible for self-employed people to create an old-age retirement fund out of current income. There are some 10 million citizens in that boat—lawyers, doctors, farmers, small businessmen, and so on. They are in an entirely different position than those who work for others and can participate in employee pension plans, which are deemed a business expense and constitute a tax deduction for the employer.

Leading spokesmen for both the parties have endorsed the underlying principle of the Jenkins-Keogh bill. The Secretary of the Treasury has granted that present revenue laws are unfair to the self-employed. The measure is supported by many newspapers and other voices of opinion. The hope is that this, or a similar, measure will gain well-merited approval in the next Congress.

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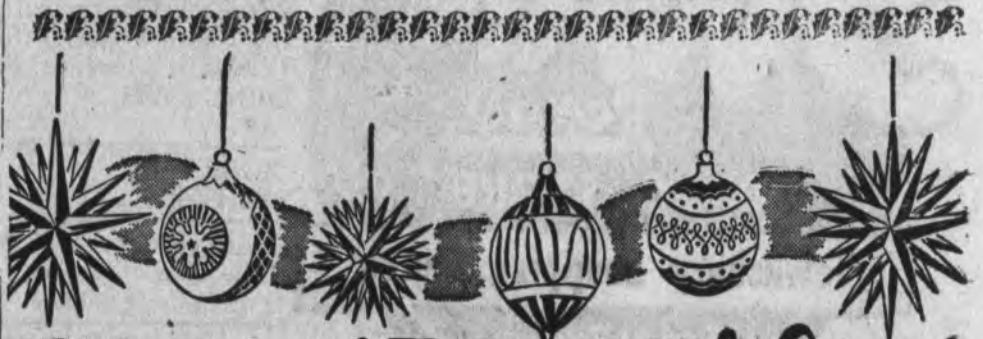


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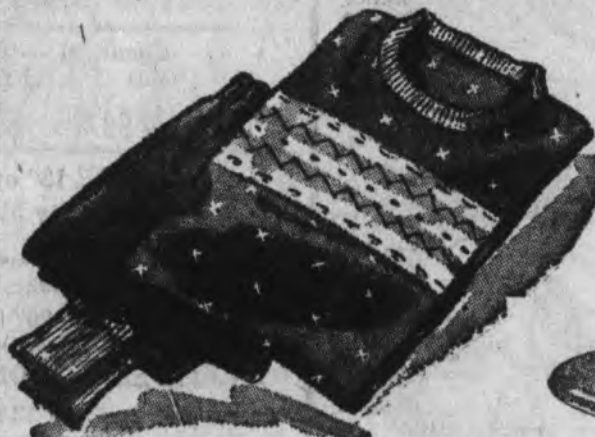


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Saturday evening, Dec. 22 at 8 p.m. the members of the adult fellowship will meet at the church for their annual Christmas party. All adults of the church have been cordially invited to attend.

Attention has been called to the fact the children of the fourth and fifth grades will have their party on Saturday, Dec. 29 instead of the 22nd as previously announced. These

children will also bring in warm clothing for the Hungarian Relief program.

CHRISTMAS EVE, 7 P.M. FAMILY CANDLELIGHTING SERVICE AT METHODIST CHURCH

A Family Candlelighting Service will be held in the sanctuary of the Wilmington Methodist Church on Christmas Eve beginning at 7 p.m. The Rev. Mr. Harding will tell the story "Why the Chimes Rang" and will be accompanied in this reading by Mr. Wilbur Staveley at the organ. Following this part of the service the ushers candles will be lighted from the master candle at the altar and then each person in the congregation will have theirs lighted in turn. Parents have been encouraged to share in this service with their children. The service will conclude promptly at 8 p.m.

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He then quoted a statement by Chancellor Adenauer of West Germany that is certainly 100 per cent in accord with the American economic philosophy: "If we want the maximum of economic energy to be released, we must encourage healthy competition. Freedom in our free enter-

prise economy has two aspects, freedom from the domination of the state, and on the other hand freedom from narrow group interests. The interests of any special economic group must take second place to the interests of the whole people. . . ."

There, in principle, is the crux of the transportation problem. Our regulatory laws—many of them hangovers from an era when conditions were utterly different from those of today—excessively dominate the operation of the railroads. At the same time, they prevent healthy and active competition in the field of transportation—particularly as competition applies to the pricing of services by the various carriers. Under these conditions, we cannot hope to get the best standards of service at the lowest cost. *Southern Railway System

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identical at both hours with the choir of 22 voices singing, "Glory to God", "And the Glory of the Lord", and the glorious "Hallelujah Chorus" all from Handel's Messiah. The choir under the leadership of Mrs. Wilbur Staveley has been preparing the Christmas music for a number of weeks.

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ALUMNI BASKETBALL GAME DEC. 27th

Plans are being formulated for the annual Alumni basketball game to be held in the new High School Gymnasium. The tentative date will be December 27 which will come during the Christmas vacation.

Mr. Cushing, the director of athletics, has conferred with Mr. Phil Nelson who will be in charge of the Alumni squad and in turn

with Miss Trudy Geswell who will be in charge of the girls' Alumni squad. Further information can be obtained from Captain Ruth Howell of the girls' basketball team or from members of the high school squad.

By holding this game during the Christmas vacation period, it is hoped this will make it convenient for former players of our high school who are now attending college or other ad-

vanced Schools to attend. Therefore, it seems appropriate to call this "Home-Coming Day" for it will be the first opportunity for many former students to enjoy the facilities of the gymnasium. The possibility of including a dance after the games is under advisement and will be acted upon at another meeting. Interested alumni members should contact Mr. Phil Nelson and Miss Geswell.



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ST. THOMAS NEWS

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Parisians interested in the return visit of mobile chest X-ray unit, please contact Mrs. Isabel Haines, Oakridge Road, OL 8-2343. Ember days this week are Wednesday, Friday and Saturday. One full meal is allowed and meat once.

Volunteers are needed for the wrapping of gifts for the children's Christmas gifts.

On Saturday at 10 a.m., Catechism classes and Confessions for the children in preparation for their Christmas Communion.

At 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, the bus will leave for the Boston Garden for the Celtics Basketball game.

Gratitude is expressed to the ladies who graciously made after boy surprises for the 14 new servers, for your Christmas party donations of last Sunday, and to the C.D.A. and all who helped with the Christmas Basket.

Coming on Sunday, December 23, 2 p.m. the Christmas party for children up to and including grade 6.

Banns are called for the first time for Francis Marsh and Ann Langiano, and for Edward F. Grinley and Jacqueline D. Quandt.

The Christmas Mass schedule is as follows: Midnight Mass will be preceded by

the Choir singing Christmas music from 11:40 p.m. The doors will be closed when capacity is reached, and no more will be admitted.

On Christmas day, Masses will be at 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11:00 a.m. There will be no 12:00 Mass.

There will be a memorial high requiem Mass Saturday, at 8:00 a.m. for Eugene and Margaret Sullivan.

The Novena to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal is held every Monday, at 7:45 p.m.

Next Sunday is communion day for the boys. Religious introduction classes Saturday, at 9:30. This week all the children are asked to bring twenty-five cents.

Wednesday, Friday and Saturday are ember days. Meat may be eaten once only on Wednesday and Saturday.

The boy scouts will meet Wednesday evening, at St. Dorothy's hall at 7:30.

We are grateful to Frank and his committee for the proceeds of Tuesday's Blitz. And on Tuesday evening this week, there will be another Blitz party at St. Dorothy's hall at 8:15. Last Friday's postponed whist party will be held after Christmas, on December 23th.

Mrs. John Elliot and her committee will conduct a whist party on Friday evening, at St. Dorothy's hall.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MIKE DAVIS

Michael Davis 60, of 15 Thurston Ave., passed away at his home on Wednesday evening, Dec. 12, following a lingering illness. Mr. Davis, resident of Wilmington for over 24 years was a veteran of World War One. He was also for some time an active member of Wilmington's Fire Dept., as a call man. One fireman we have spoken with recently said, upon hearing of Mr. Davis' passing: "many is the fire I've fought next to Mike, he was a real good worker and when he became ill and left the force he was sorely missed."

Besides his wife, Louise Davis of Thurston Ave., Mr. Davis is survived by his step-son, Lawrence Foster and four sisters. He is also survived by his father, Samuel Davis of Chelsea.

Funeral services were conducted on Friday at 2:00 p.m. from the Guy E. Nichols Funeral Home by Rev. Stanley Cummings. Interment was in the Soldiers Lot at Wildwood Cemetery.

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POLICE NEWS

Dec. 12 The Silver Lake Pharmacy was broken into last night and loss of property was in excess of \$100.00. Boston police apprehended Donald F. McCormick, 19, of 2 Wallace Court, Charlestown. One accomplice is still at large. McCormick is out on \$3500. bail and is to appear at Woburn Court on Dec. 27. Sergeant Imbimbo and Officer George Shepherd investigated.

Dec. 12 -Irving A. Farrell, 14 Mary Lou Lane, Andover, traveling north on Main St. made contact with car operated by Rhoda Miller, 143 Pinckney St. Boston, who was proceeding in the opposite direction. Miss Mil-

ler's car came into contact with a car operated by Charles H. Kiklis, of 9 Winn Park, Woburn. The Kiklis car went out of control and struck the st. guide poles. Miss Miller was taken to the Choate Hospital and the cars were towed to Cain's and Gildart's garages. Officers Kelley, Fuller, Markey, Mercier and Joe Couco investigated.

Dec. 12-A truck owned by Lawrence Carr of 196 Wildwood St., Wilmington, was struck in the rear by a sedan owned and operated by Dolores B. Carney of 11 Lester Terrace, Somerville. The truck operated by John Cochrane of Maynard, was going south on Main St. when struck in the rear by

Mrs. Carney. Mrs. Carney was taken to St. John's hospital by the Wilmington ambulance, driven by fireman Frederick Kleynen, assisted by Firemen Charles Ellis, Officers Leo Markey and Don Mercier investigated. Mrs. Carney suffered a possible fractured shoulder.

Dec. 14-Woburn Court-Richard A. Gordon of Donald Road, Billerica, given a ticket for passing while view was obstructed, by patrolman Don Mercier, was found guilty, and case was placed on file.

Dec. 15-Donald Bresette, 27, of Lincoln St. Reading, while driving on Glenn Rd., struck a cement guard rail. Car was towed to Cain's garage.

Dec. 16-Sign at J. W. Greer's on Main St. was struck by a car operated by Paul E. Nadeau of 19 Chesterfield Ave. Pinehurst. No injuries.

Dec. 16-A car operated by Pasquale A. Falscione, Beach St., WIL. struck a tree on Burlington Ave. Genna Falscione, passenger in the car suffered a broken leg and was taken to Choate Hospital.

Dec. 17-Outside Christmas decoration lights reported stolen by John Couco of Shawsheen Rd. and John Watson of Shawsheen Ave.

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on Main St. Santa will be on hand to distribute gifts, films will be shown and refreshments will be served.
 The party will be conducted under the direction of Junior Vice Commander Angelo Ingaharra.

COLLEGE OPPORTUNITIES

By June Goss
 On Dec. 12, 1956, an assembly was held in the Wilmington High School Auditorium to learn about advancing our education. Mr. Floyd Bemis of Falmouth, Mass. was our guest speaker who pointed out the opportunities to high school graduates who would like to enter college. A film was shown to acquaint the students with the various New England colleges. Mr. Bemis explained the colleges background and their curriculum. It was an interesting film and an inspiring one. It gave many students a chance to think about what they might do upon graduating from Wilmington High School.

AMERICANIZATION CLASS ENJOYS CHRISTMAS PARTY, HONOR FIRST GRADUATE OF THIS YEAR
 Members of Pauline Letter's Americanization class conducted their Christmas party on Tuesday evening.



A Happy Christmas to you!

GEORGE SPANOS

Dec. 11. During the evening movies were shown and refreshments were served.

As a highlight of the evening, James MacLellan the first graduate of the year was offered congratulations by his fellow classmates. Having attended classes since late September, "Jim" passed his citizenship examination on Dec. 3. He will be "sworn in" early in January. However, this "star pupil" gives much of the credit for his accomplishments to his teacher, Miss Letter. The charming and amusing manner in which she conducted her classes never for one moment allowed the interest to wane. Mr. MacLellan, now in his seventy-sixth year arrived in this country from Canada over sixty years ago. He was educated in Woburn, married in Winchester and later moved to Reading. He became a resident of Wilmington approximately seventeen years ago.

Having enjoyed life in "these United States" for over sixty years, we're delighted that he has finally decided to stay.

FIREMEN TO CONDUCT CHRISTMAS PARTY

Members of the Firemen's Assn. will conduct a Christmas party at the fire station on Friday evening, Dec. 21, beginning at 7:00.

The party is being held for the children of all regular and call firemen. Santa will be on hand to pass out presents and refreshments will be served. Approximately 50 small guests are expected to take part in the event.

WELCOME WAGON NOTES

The following list of people were greeted by Carrie A. Lewis, assistant Welcome Wagon Hostess for Wilmington:

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FIRE AND POLICE STATION SHINING WITH CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

If you haven't already done so, why not take a ride

down Church St., some evening soon to see the display of Christmas spirit at the fire-police station. It is even better than ever this year. Christmas trees with lights abound and Santa himself is preparing to climb down the chimney. A lot of work has been done here to try and please you, the citizen and to make our town look as much like Christmas as other towns do.

Buffalo, Minn., Wright County Journal - Press: "When he was younger, admits Richard Mayer Jr. of the North Vernon (Ind.) Sun, his ambition was to write a book exposing women. 'But darn it, he says 'these designers of modern-day hresses beat us to it'."

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